

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****APPLICANT:** Kvist et al. **GROUP:** Unknown**SERIAL NO:** Unknown **EXAMINER:** Unknown**FILED:** Herewith**FOR:** **PROCESS FOR THE FRACTIONATION OF CEREAL BRANS****Mail Stop Patent Application****Commissioner for Patents****P.O. Box 1450****Alexandria, VA 22313-1450****Sir:****PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Preliminary to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows: